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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

LAI et al.	Confirmation No.: 4378
Serial No.: 09/846,430	Group Art Unit: 1637
Filing Date: April 30, 2001	Examiner: J. Siew
Title: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR POLYNUCLEOTIDE ANALYSIS USING GENERIC CAPTURE SEQUENCES	

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2003 with an initial period of three months for response. Accordingly, a one-month extension of time in which to reply is requested and the fee and a petition therefor accompany this response. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

Accompanying Documents

Accompanying this response are the following documents:

- (1) Marked-up copy of the claims, showing the amendments made herein; and
- (2) Currently pending claim set, incorporating the amendments made herein.